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Please find attached a request for reinstatement of appeal via a Notice of Appeal for Application 09/193,647. Also attached is a 2nd Request for the Office to properly respond to the Remand dated June 29, 2004.

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Previous Appeal No.: 2003-0830

Appellants:

Usner, et al.

Confirmation No. 2234

Application No.:09/193,647

Art Unit 3621

Filed: Title:

November 17, 1998

Examiner Pierre Eddy Elisca

Apparatus and Method for Indicating the Status of Transaction

Function Devices in an Automated Banking Machine

Mail Stop Appeal Brief - Patents Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (37 C.F.R. 1.191)

Appellants hereby request reinstatement of their appeal pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 41.31. Appellants hereby appeal to the Board the decision of the Primary Examiner, mailed November 18, 2004, regarding all unallowed claims (including rejected claims 1-19).

1. STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of other than a small entity.

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2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(b), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

Other than a small entity

\$500.00

Previously paid Notice of Appeal fee

\$320.00

Notice of Appeal fee due

\$180.00

3. EXTENSION OF TERM

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R.1.136 apply. Appellants believe that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

4. TOTAL FEE DUE

The total fee due is:

Additional Notice of Appeal fee

\$ 180.00

TOTAL FEE DUE

\$ 180.00

5. FEE PAYMENT

A fee (\$320) has already been paid for a previously filed Notice of Appeal. If necessary, please apply the previously paid fee herein.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any necessary fee associated with the filing of this Notice of Appeal and any other fee due to Deposit Account No. 09-0428 (InterBold).

6. FEE DEFICIENCY

If any additional extension and/or fee is required, this is a request therefor and to charge Deposit Account No. 09-0428 (InterBold).

If any additional fee for claims is required, charge Deposit Account No. 09-0428 (InterBold).

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Sir:

2nd Request for the Office to properly respond to the Remand dated June 29, 2004

The record lacks evidence that the Office Communication dated November 18, 2004, which attempted to reopen prosecution, was approved by a Supervisory Patent Examiner (SPE). Accordingly, prosecution has not been reopened and the Remand remains pending.

Respectfully submitted,

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